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Group Art Unit: 1638

Examiner: Collins, Cynthia E.

For: *Transgenic Plants Incorporating Traits of Zostera Marina*

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PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Madam:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time, from September 17, 2003 up to and including December 17, 2003, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.1.36(a) for filing a response to the Office Action mailed on June 17, 2003 in the above-identified application.

A check in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed for the extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account Number 06-1448, Reference CEA-007.01.

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Serial No.: 09/854,122	Group Art Unit: 1638
Filed: May 10, 2001	Docket No.: CEA-007.01
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Madam:

In response to the Office Action, mailed June 17, 2003, in the above-identified application, Applicants submit the following remarks and amendments in this request for reconsideration. The deadline for filing this response has been extended by the accompanying petition for a three-month extension of time and associated fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account Number 06-1448, Reference CEA-007.01.

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR
§ 1.97(c)(2)

Madam:

Listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 is a list of publications known to Applicants and their Attorney/Agent in compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.56. A copy of said publication is being submitted herewith. This submission follows the events recited in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2); therefore, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (p), a check in amount of \$180.00 is enclosed. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached Form PTO-

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John B. Boring

REQUEST FOR REFUND OF FEE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$180.00 in the above-referenced application.

In support hereof, Applicants states that on December 17, 2003 an Information Disclosure Statement was filed and a check for \$180.00 (*copy of cashed check enclosed*) was provided to cover the surcharge for being submitted after the mailing of a first action on the merits. Enclosed is a copy of our Deposit Account Statement, which indicates that the Patent Office charged the Foley Hoag LLP Deposit Account the amount of \$180.00 on December 24, 2003 (highlighted in yellow). As the \$180.00 surcharge was provided with the filing on December 17, 2003, it appears that an error was made in the December 24, 2003 charge to our Deposit Account relating to this file.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$180.00 in the above-referenced application, to be deposited to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448.

Should there be any questions concerning this request, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1000.

Date: August 25, 2004

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